

PORTERS ARE HELD; SAY THEY BOUGHT DRINKS

Two Men Bound Over As Highway Robbers—Stead Case in Week of Men Using Federal "Dodge."

Willie Striplin, said to be an attendant at the Watertown state hospital, and William Henderson, said to be a cook at the Grier restaurant at the Thirty-first street Rock Island depot, were bound over to the grand jury under \$3,000 bonds each by Magistrate D. J. Cleland in police court this morning on charges of highway robbery.

The men were arrested shortly after midnight after an alleged attempt to obtain \$300 from Frank Poma, a grocer, 1503 Thirtieth street. Striplin is said to have represented himself as a government agent and made an effort to extort money from Poma. The men were unsuccessful.

Assistant State's Attorney Edward L. Eagle also questioned Julius Spybroeck and Mrs. Jennie De Kaysner, both living at 3155 Fifth avenue, and who claimed that the two men had extorted \$35 from Spybroeck on July 22.

The witnesses claimed that on that date Henderson came into the home and pulled out a pint flask of whiskey. Striplin followed and placed handcuffs on Henderson. The latter then paid Striplin \$48 to save himself from arrest, as Striplin represented himself as a government prohibition agent. Striplin then called upon Spybroeck for the contents of his pocket book, which amounted to \$35, and used a revolver as a persuader.

Claim Bootleg Joint.
The defendants, however, pleaded not guilty to the charges, and claimed that Spybroeck conducts a bootleg joint. Striplin denied that he had placed Henderson in handcuffs or had flashed a gun or a special officer's star.

He claimed that he and Henderson had purchased drinks at the place. Henderson said that he had been "a good spender at Spybroeck's place, and had laid around there drunk for about 30 days." He is an ex-soldier.

The case is the second where alleged federal officers are said to have been "holding up Rock Island bootleggers for extortion."

Mike Wolff, one time federal

prohibition investigator, was held to the federal grand jury Wednesday afternoon by United States Commissioner T. P. Starnett for extorting \$10 from George Harrison, proprietor of a soft drink parlor on First avenue and Twentieth street.

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HALF DOZEN ASK RELEASE FROM MARRIAGE KNOT

Six suits for divorce were filed with the circuit clerk yesterday afternoon and this morning.

A charge of extreme and repeated cruelty is made against William Douglas by Marie Douglas, in her plea. They were married Nov. 6, 1913, and separated July 14, 1920.

Charles G. Holland charges Holland with desertion. They were married Oct. 22, 1900, and separated April 15, 1911.

Leona Ray declares Donald Ray guilty of a statutory charge and asks that the court set aside her marital vows. They were married

Sept. 15, 1915, in Rock Island, and separated Sept. 15, 1919.

Caroline Sprague asks a divorce from Edward Sprague on statutory grounds. They were married July 24, 1917, at Pawhuska, Okla., and separated Aug. 1, 1919.

Leona Edgobow declares Mitchell Edgobow guilty of excessive

drunkenness. They were married Nov. 7, 1914, in Rock Island and separated Aug. 1, 1920.

It is estimated India will grow nearly 400,000,000 bushels of wheat this year.

It is said that white is to be the new Irish flag, with a red cross of St. Patrick and a golden shamrock in each corner. The familiar harp is not included in the design. As a matter of fact, Irishmen are not nearly as fond of the harp as other people imagine. They say it belongs to Little Wales.

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Sweet corn, Golden Banner, dozen	20c	Every Day coffee, lb pkg	45c
Caroline milk can	11c	White Lily coffee 3 lbs	\$1.00
Sardines, 3 cans	25c	Queen olives, small jar	15c
2 20c cans mustard sardines	25c	Log Cabin syrup 2 1/2 lb can	69c
Pork and beans in tomato sauce, can	10c	Rolls oats, pkg	15c
Red beans, 3 cans	25c	Armour's corn flakes pkg	14c
Lenox soap, 10 bars	45c	Ginger snaps per lb	19c
Danish Pride milk, 4 small cans	25c	Plain soda crackers, lb	20c
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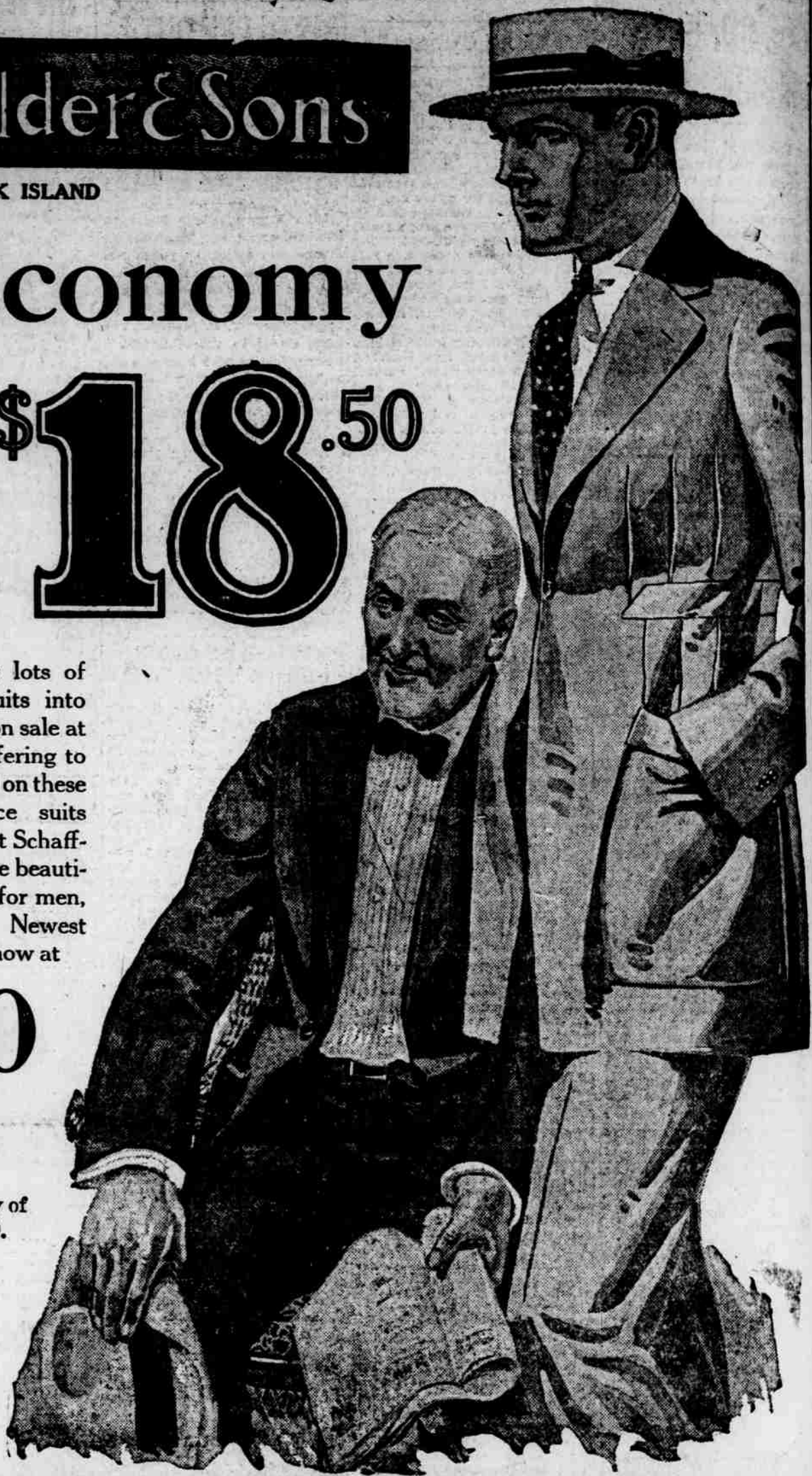
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